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5 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
6 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
7 AT SEATTLE

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9 SUKHJIT SINGH MINHAS, *et al.*,)

10 Plaintiffs,)

11 v.)

12 GREGORY W. CHRISTIAN, *et al.*,)

13 Defendants.)
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No. C07-339RSL

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

14 This matter comes before the Court *sua sponte*. On May 6, 2007, plaintiffs filed a
15 complaint for declaratory and injunctive relief seeking immediate adjudication of their
16 applications for adjustment of status. See Dkt. #1. On May 21, 2007, the parties filed a joint
17 status report consenting to the referral of this case to a full-time Magistrate Judge. See Dkt. #6
18 at ¶7. On June 5, 2007, the parties filed a joint stipulation and proposed order to withdraw this
19 consent. See Dkt. #10. As a result, on June 8, 2007, the Honorable James P. Donohue, United
20 States Magistrate Judge, returned this matter to the undersigned for adjudication. See Dkt. #16.
21 On June 7, 2007, the parties filed a joint report stating that “[if] the Court does refer this case
22 back to Judge Lasnik, the parties propose that the deadlines in this report remain intact.” See
23 Dkt. #13 (Joint Report) at n.1. Accordingly, based on the dates identified in the parties’ joint
24 report, the Court ORDERS as follows:
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CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

1 Plaintiffs shall file their motion for summary judgment by: **August 1, 2007**

2 Defendants shall file their response, and cross-motion for **August 24, 2007**
3 summary judgment, if any, by:

4 Plaintiffs shall file a reply to their motion for summary **September 7, 2007**
5 judgment and response to defendants' cross-motion for
6 summary judgment, if any, by:

7 Defendants shall file a reply to their cross-motion for **September 21, 2007**
8 summary judgment, if any, by:

9 These dates are set by the Court. All other dates are specified in the Local Civil Rules. If
10 any of the dates identified in this Order or the Local Civil Rules fall on a weekend or federal
11 holiday, the act or event shall be performed on the next business day. These are firm dates that
12 can be changed only by order of the Court pursuant to Local Civil Rules 10(g) and/or 7(d)(2),
13 not by agreement of counsel or the parties. The Court will alter these dates only upon good
14 cause shown.

15 ALTERATIONS TO ELECTRONIC FILING PROCEDURES

16 As of June 1, 2004, counsel are required to electronically file all documents with the
17 Court. *Pro se* litigants may file either electronically or in paper form. Information and
18 procedures for electronic filing can be found on the Western District of Washington's website at
19 www.wawd.uscourts.gov. The following alterations to the Electronic Filing Procedures apply
20 in all cases pending before Judge Lasnik:

21 - Section III, Paragraph F - when the aggregate submittal to the court (*i.e.*, the motion,
22 any declarations and exhibits, the proposed order, and the certificate of service) exceeds **50**
23 pages in length, a paper copy of the documents (with tabs or other organizing aids as necessary)
24 shall be delivered to the Clerk's Office for chambers by 10:30 am the morning after filing. The
25 chambers copy must be clearly marked with the words "Courtesy Copy of Electronic Filing for
26 Chambers."

1 - Section III, Paragraph L - unless the proposed order is stipulated, agreed, or otherwise
2 uncontested, the parties need not e-mail a copy of the order to the judge's e-mail address.

3 PRIVACY POLICY

4 Pursuant to the General Order of the Court regarding Public Access to Electronic Case
5 Files (filed 5/29/03), parties are to redact the following information from documents and exhibits
6 before they are filed with the court:

7 * Dates of Birth - redact to the year of birth

8 * Names of Minor Children - redact to the initials

9 * Social Security Numbers - redact to the last four digits

10 * Financial Accounting Information - redact to the last four digits

11 The General Order was issued pursuant to the official policy on privacy adopted by the
12 Judicial Conference of the United States and can be found on the court's website at
13 <http://www.wawd.uscourts.gov/docs>. All documents filed in the above-captioned matter must
14 comply with the Privacy Policy and the General Order.

15 SETTLEMENT

16 Should this case settle, counsel shall notify the Deputy Clerk as soon as possible.
17 Pursuant to GR 3(b), an attorney who fails to give the Deputy Clerk prompt notice of settlement
18 may be subject to such discipline as the Court deems appropriate.

19 DATED this 23rd day of July, 2007.

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22 Robert S. Lasnik
23 United States District Judge
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